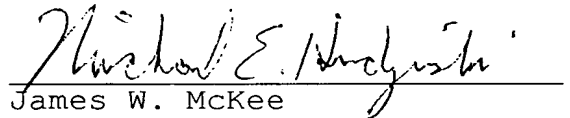


Remarks

Applicants respectfully request that the foregoing amendments be entered prior to substantive examination of the application. These changes are submitted to place the application in better form for examination.

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VERSION OF THE AMENDED CLAIM WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW
CHANGES

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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 1 as follows:

1. (Twice Amended) A method for winding a stator of a brushless direct current motor, which has a stator body (9) with a pre-determined number of to be wound stator teeth (3), wherein the stator teeth (3) are
5 respectively wound with two coils (W1, W3; W2, W4), which are magnetically coupled and which permit the generation of opposite magnetic fields by the supply of current with variable directional orientation, and wherein each of the two coils (W1, W3; W2, W4) comprises a predetermined
10 number of conductors, [placed in parallel,] the method comprising the steps of:

simultaneously winding each of the stator teeth (3) in several partial winding steps, with an even number of $2n$ conductors allocating a first set of n conductors of
15 the $2n$ conductors to a first coil and allocating the other set of n conductors of the $2n$ conductors to the other coil; and,

performing a predetermined number of partial winding procedures until the predetermined number of
20 conductors per coil (W1, W3; W2, W4) has been reached.